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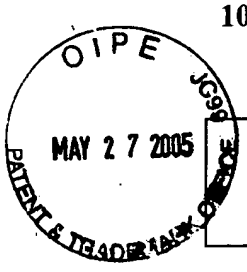

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND REQUIREMENT FOR AN ELECTION OF SPECIES

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2005, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I and the species of Example 5 (5-[3-({4-[(2-methylquinolin-4-yl)methoxy]phenyl}thio)-2-furyl]imidazolidine-2,4-dione), for examination purposes only. Claims 1-9 are readable on the elected species.

Amendments to the Claims are represented by the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 25 of this paper.